



Carl Harris

November 1, 1943 - November 1, 2014

Carl Harris, 71, of Rossville, went home to be with his Lord and Savior on Saturday, November 1, 2014. He was a lifelong resident of the North Georgia area and was a member of Chapel Hill United Methodist Church in Dunlap, but had more recently been attending Mission Glen Baptist Church. He worked as a Heavy Equipment Sales and Service Advisor with Goodwin Machinery for more than 37 years and then retired from Mid-South Equipment in 2009. He enjoyed going to Ridgeland High School Football games, loved having a porch full of friends and family and was a loving and devoted husband, father, and grandfather who will be greatly missed by all who knew him. He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife, the love of his life, Betty Sue Harris.

Survivors include daughter & son-in-law, Sharon & (Paul) Heming of Rossville, GA; son & daughter-in-law, Tim & (Jeri) Harris of Flintstone, GA; he was the youngest of 12 children and is survived by siblings, Geneva Phillips of Lookout Mtn., GA, Jack Harris of Chickamauga, GA, Sam Harris and Sally McGill both of Rossville, GA; two grandchildren, Grant Heming & Alex Harris; special friend, Beverly Holland and numerous nieces, nephews and extended family & friends.

Funeral services will be held at 12:00 Noon on Wednesday, November 5, 2014 in the Fort Oglethorpe Chapel with Rev. Tom Tucker officiating.

Entombment will follow in the Tennessee-Georgia Memorial Park. The family will receive friends after 5 p.m. Monday (today), all day Tuesday and prior to the service on Wednesday at the funeral home. Online guest book at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

Tribute Wall

TB

“ *Sorry for your loss*

Tim Brickley - November 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ *I don't know how I am suppose to go on without you. You are my daddy, my best friend and the one person I could always talk to and go to with any situation and knew that you always had my best interests at heart. You are the best daddy and papaw this world ever knew and you are loved so very much. There are no words that can explain the hole in my heart, it went with you. When I saw you on your last day, if I had known, I would have never ran my errands, I would have stayed right there with you and said, "I love you" over and over. We were always close but since Mom passed, we were even closer, each other's rock! We did everything together, we always enjoyed the same things and I am so proud to be your daughter. Thank you for everything in my life. I miss you so much but I know you and Mom are having a joyous reunion. Give her a kiss from me! I LOVE YOU!!!!!!*

SHARON HEMING - ROSSVILLE, GA - DAUGHTER - November 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ *Aunt Geneva and family, I am so sorry to hear of your brothers passing. I never knew him but wanted you to know that you and the family are in my prayers.*

Tina Phillips Miolen - Flintstone, GA - Neice of Geneva Phillips - November 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Carl and I grew up together in Rossville. I always enjoyed going to his house as his Mom always had a BIG pot of pintos to share. Glad I was able to see him 2 years ago and share a lot of memories. He was very proud of his children. Condolences to the family, especially, Jack, Sam and Sally. RIP my longtime friend.

BillCox - Monroe, NC - Lifelong Friend - November 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ Sorry for your loss Sharon and Tim, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your families.

Amy Linzey McWhorter - Rossville , GA - November 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Only met Carl a few times when I was in Georgia. .he was ALWAYS so kind to me..it is very heart breaking to hear this new..to the family I am so very sorry for your loss..he truly was one of a kind ..but God has a great new angel now

Aimee Million - Poplar Bluff, MO - friend - November 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Carl Harris was always a source of laughter. A great person of whom I have countless great memories. I spent most of my early childhood growing up with this man either in my home or my family in his. Just a great human being and a true friend of my parents. He will be greatly missed.

Johnny B Harrison - East Ridge, TN - Family friend - November 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ Remember hearing laugh all the way to my parents house and the way he adored my oldest daughter (knew one day he would be a great grandpa) he made her laugh everytime i brought her by and her 1st halloween he dumped an entire bowl of candy in her bag she wasnt even a year old. He will be missed , i wish i could have seen him again. Love and blessing to you and your family. Yall are loved and missed.

lynn flegal and peggy fitzgerald - ringgold, GA - friends - November 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM